2+tA April A PROCLAMATION AGAINST TRADING WITH THE FRENCH REBELS *Proclamations;* 291

2.6th April A PROCLAMATION AGAINST UNAUTHORISED POSTS *Proclamations*', 293

29^ *April* * THE SHEPHERD'S STAR * *A R* , n 579 Thomas Bradshaw, *The Shepherd's Star,* 1591 A dull work

30^ *April* FLORIO'S * SECOND FRUITS * John Florio, *Flow's Second Fruits,* 1591 , so dated m the Epistle to the reader Florio is more concerned with wit than utility in his phrases , still the book is a good example of the conversation of bright young men, such as Shakespeare heard at Southampton's house in '93-'94 and transmuted into the *Sonnets, Venus and Adonis* and *Lowe's Labours Lost* Flono enters Southampton's service shortly afterwards

znd May LODGE'S * ROBERT, DUKE OF NORMANDY ' Thomas Lodge, *The History of Robert, Second Duke of Normandy,* 1591 , dated 2nd May, 1591, m the Epistle Dedicatory A gruesome yarn but weU told

yd May BRETON'S < BOWER OF DELIGHTS * *A R* , u 581 N B, Gent, *Bntton's Bower of Delights* Modern edition by A B Grosart in *The Complete Works of Nicholas Breton,* 1876 See note on i2th April, 1592

8&5 *May* THE FRENCH KING'S ORDINANCES *Ordinances set forth by the King, for the rule and government of his Majesty's men of war,* 1591 Entered *S R*, 8th May

CARTWRIGHT THE PURITAN BEFORE THE HIGH COMMISSION *Lansdovme MSS*, Ixviu , printed m A F Scott Pearson, *Thomas Cartwnght and Elizabethan Puritanism,* 1925, p 458

12$ *May* RIPLEY'S ' COMPOUND OF ALCHEMY ' *A R,* u 582 George Ripley, *The Compound of Akhemy,* 1591 Jonson makes effective play with all this apparatus in the *Alchemist*

i$t& May THE * CENTURION'S ' FIGHT WITH FIVE SPAMSH SHIPS, *A R* , u 582 *The <vakant and most laudable fight performed in the Straights, by the (Centurion * of London against five Spanish Galhes Who is safely returned this present month of May Anno D 1591* Entered i£th May, a ballad was entered at the same time

i6th May AN INVASION EXPECTED *APC,xxi* 133

i9/£ *May* A SEDITIOUS FELLOW *Middlesex Session Rolls,* i 195

2,-Lst May THE QUEEN at THEOBALD'S Nicholls' *Progresses,* vol u, Strype's, *Annals,* iv, 77

RUMOURS *SP Dom,* ccxxxvui 159 (Phelhppes) For an account of the trial of the witches see 29th February, 1592.

24*4 *May* DR GERVASE BABINGTON'S SERMON Gervase Babington, *A Sermon preached at the Court at Greenwich the xxttu of May, j$gi* On this occasion no virtue at all in IF'

i.6th May SIR R WILLIAMS COMMENDED *APC,xxi* 167

THE GALLANT ACTION OF SIR R WILLIAMS Antony Colynet, *The True History of the Civil Wars of France,* 1591, p 532.

3wr *May* RUMOURS *SP Dom,* cczxzvui 188 (Phellippes)

ist *June* SIDNEY'S *ASTROPHEL AND STELLA* Sir Philip Sidney, *Astrophel and Stella,* 1591 Modern editions by A Feuillerat, 1922, etc. Nashe's preface is included m *The Works of Thomas Nashe,* edited by R B.